

In the Specification:

Please make the following changes to the last paragraph of page 8:

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The ATA, 70, is an assembly that houses a transducer for generating the aural stimuli. It also may house other devices such as a microphone for monitoring acoustic energy within the environment. The ATA is on the end of a cable, which connects it to the hearing evaluation device. The ATA snaps into the port, and may be positioned in either an up or a down position, along the side of the ear coupler, as illustrated in Figs. 11 & 12. The ATA can be rotated between the up and down positions during screening, as shown in Figs. 11 and 12. The ATA also may include a latch that snaps onto the ribs of the annular side wall, helping to ensure that the ear coupler is not tugged away from the subject's head. The ATA hugs or mates with the side of the ear coupler, which improves crush resistance and prevents the ATA from acting as a lever ~~arm~~ which could pull the ear coupler off the subject's head. More specifically, the ATA has an arm 72 that extends laterally away from the port 60 when the ATA 70 is placed into the port 60. See Figs. 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11.